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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 Noon
Tuesday and Wednesday Only: 8:30 a.m.
Holy Day Vigil: 4:30 p.m.
Holy Day: 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m., Wednesday Noon-1:00 p.m. during Adoration, or by appointment

PARISH OFFICE and CHAPEL HOURS

Monday and Tuesday: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Friday: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Saturday: 9:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon

PARISH REGISTRATION

Welcome! Please register in person or online at https://saintclare.net/parish-registration.

SAINT CLARE PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Clare Parish is a Roman Catholic community that cherishes its faith tradition, celebrates the sacraments, and cultivates lives of Gospel service and stewardship



Pray the Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
Daily at 7:50 a.m.

Come Join Us!

mass incentions

Monday May 124

Acts 11:1-18/Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday May 13 8:30 Gino Puletti

Acts 11:19-26/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday May 14 8:30 Academy

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Jn 15:9-17 Corinne Fioritto

Thursday May 15

Acts 13:13-25/Jn 13:16-20

Friday May 16

Acts 13:26-33/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday May 17 4:30 Christa Ann Olivo

Acts 13:44-52/Jn 14:7-14

Sunday May 18 8:00 Olga Pietrantonio

Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

12:00 Mastrostefano Family

1:00 Baptism



First and third Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. Please contact the Business Office.

Communion for the Sick and Shut-Ins:

We are most anxious that all who cannot get to church be able to continue to receive the Eucharist. Contact the Business Office and we will provide a Eucharistic Minister.

Anointing of the Sick:

440-646-9648

A priest will gladly come to your home by request to Anoint the ill or aged. Anointing for hospital patients is provided by the hospital chaplain.

Sponsors:

Sponsor certificates are given to those who are registered parishioners, confirmed and practicing Catholics. Contact the Business Office.

Marriage:

Fax:

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Initial contact is to be made directly with a priest of Saint Clare.

Church of Saint Clare Telephone Directory: 440-449-4242

Rectory		Office of Faith Formation	
Fr. Stanley Klasinski	105	Lori Mascia, Pastoral Associate	119
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Jesus said:

"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me.

I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish.

No one can take them out of my hand.

My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one can take them out of the Father's hand.

The Father and I are one."

Saturday, June 14, will be Fr. Klasinski's last Saint Clare Mass! A reception in the gym follows. Seating is limited to about 100. RSVP required.



Please watch for further details and RSVP instructions.

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Academy				
Matthew Tabar, Principal				
Loretta Pilla, Admissions Coordinator				
Regina Matthews, Secretary				
Cara Mia Duncan				
Pre-K Director/Teacher	129			
Phone: 440-449-4244				
Aftercare	131			
Clinic	132			
Gym Kitchen	130			
Food Services (Voicemail)	164			

Saint Clare Calendar week of May 11

Monday May 12

Parish Council 7:30 p.m. (HR)

Tuesday May 13

Cenacle 9:00 a.m. (CH)

Saint Anthony Novena 6:00 - 6:30 p.m. (CH)

OCIA 6:30 p.m. (HR)

Wednesday May 14

Adoration 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (CH) Confessions 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Saturday and Sunday, May 17 and 18

All Masses

Outreach - Spring Toiletries Drive, church hampers (CH)

Pray for Our Sick

Elizabeth Bryson, Stephen Barfield, Karen Cannon, Frank Casarona, Joseph Casarona, Laurie Casarona, Margaret Clark, Theresa Coffey, Roger De Penti, Darlene Dula, Peter Faerber, Elizabeth Ferenczi, Lillian Khas, Tony LaVerde, Carmella Mastandrea, Terrence Meins, Diane Minor, Justin Montello, Bob Moravick, Karyn Nowak, Rosemarie Paluckas, Alyssa Parino, Agnes Parsons, Jodi Piscitello, Lauri Powaski, Lena Salvatore, Daniel Sirk, Virginia Schmitz, Bob Sheridan, Dorothy Skiba, Regina Szabo, Joseph Wentzel, Donna Zenobi

Parish Support					
Capital Improvement Contributions					
Fiscal Year Beginning 07/01/2024					
Year-to-Date through 3/31/2025	:	\$66,004.89			
Goal for the Year	:	\$90,000.00			
Parish Support					
FOR THE WEEK OF April 27, 2025					
WEEKLY OFFERTORY GOAL	:	\$16,000.00			
WEEKLY AVERAGE (43 Weeks)	:	\$16,109.40			
Weekly Envelope Offering	\$	11,745.00			
Online Weekly Offering	\$	5,692.00			
Fee Offset Donation - Weekly	\$	84.30			
Loose Checks	\$	790.00			
Loose Cash	\$	609.90			
Total Weekly Offering		18,921.20			
Capital Improvement	\$	5,090.00			
Online Capital Improvement	\$	103.00			

Thank you for your consistent giving!

Saint Clare Calendar Lottery

May 3 William J. Mullin	\$ 25
May 4 Jim Coschia	\$ 50
May 5 Kyle Chepla	\$ 25
May 6 Rosalie Lapick	\$ 25
May 7 Ruth Garry	\$ 25
May 8 Patricia Kecskemety	\$ 25
May 9 Mandy Shula	\$ 25

Congratulations to all of our Winners!





Every mother is like Moses. She does not enter the promised land. She prepares a world she will not see.

~ Pope Paul VI

Pray for These Priests and Seminarians

Sunday, May 11

Bishop Edward C. Malesic Bishop Michael G. Woost Rev. Alexander Spenik

Monday, May 12

Rev. Christopher D. Stein Rev. Kevin Estabrook

Deacon Cameron Ferrell - St. Mary Deacon Sean Neville - St. Mary

Thursday, May 15

Wednesday, May 14

Rev. Gregory F. Schaut Rev. Paul O'Connor SJ

Rev. A. Jonathan Zingales

Rev. Juancho Ramos SSS

Friday, May 16

Rev. Andrew Gonzalez Rev. Donald Ewulu Deacon Troung Joseph Viet Ho - St. Mary Arthur Bodenschatz - St. Mary

Saturday, May 17

Rev. Jared P. Orndorff Rev. Mark R. Riley Noah Furin - St. Mary

Tuesday, May 13

Rev. Adam Zajac Rev. James R. Ols

Deacon Nathan Frankart - St. Mary





Dear Saint Clare Parishioners,

As it was announced this past weekend, I would like to inform you that I will be leaving Saint Clare and Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish this summer to become the new pastor of Saint Mary of Assumption Parish in Mentor, OH effective June 30, 2025. It was through prayer and consultation with the Bishop and his staff that I will be taking on this new position.

In light of both Fr. Klasinski's and Fr. Ireland's retirements, the bishop will be assigning a single pastor to both parishes moving forward. The pastor has not been named but should be announced by the month's end. The Diocese is hoping to also assign a parochial vicar.

This should not be seen as a parish merger or indicate any parish closure. Both parishes will remain open and canonically separate with their spiritualities and finances. However, both parishes will need to work together under the new leadership to find common ground and ways to collaborate on ministries. While this is unprecedented for our parishes, this multiple-parish model is becoming the new normal here in the Diocese of Cleveland and around the United States of America.

Currently, 1/3 of all parishes and pastors here in Cleveland are working in multiple parish clusters. Moreover, expect that as the availability of priests slowly declines, so too will the availability of priests outside of the sacraments to decline. Expect more lay volunteers will need to support the pastor in non-sacramental ministries, even non-sacramental liturgies, including devotionals.

I will not be going alone; Fr. Klasinski has graciously accepted my invitation to join me at Saint Mary's as my weekend associate, similar to Fr. Wendelken serving our community following his retirement from Saint Rita.

This has been a difficult time for everyone, including myself over the last year and now in the months ahead. But God is in control. We trust in His Divine Mercy and His Will. He will carry us through this process much like the journey of the Israelites out of Egypt through the desert for 40 years eventually into the Promised Land.

We all must pray for each other for patience, humility, understanding, and love.

God bless, and love in Christ,

Fr. Brankatelli





The Michael Ozanam Center at the Chambers Community Empowerment Center (new location) in East Cleveland is requesting donations of the following items:

Toilet paper, Bars of soap, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Dental floss, Shaving cream, Razors, Deodorant, Chapstick, Shampoo, Conditioners, Hand lotion, Pocket-sized tissue, Nail clippers, Mouthwash, and Band-Aids in a variety of sizes.

Also, gently-used towels, washcloths, linens and blankets (no comforters).

Also Needed: clean/dry plastic and brown grocery bags and reusable grocery bags for food distribution.

All of the above items can be put into the plastic totes at the church entrances.

Donations will be accepted at all Masses on both weekends of May 17 and May 24.

Thank You in advance for your generosity!



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Help support Womankind's life-affirming mission through Saint Clare's Baby Bottle Drive!

Money raised helps Womankind provide free, comprehensive prenatal care and support services for pregnant women and families in need throughout northeast Ohio.

Baby bottles will be available on Mother's Day, May 11.

Fill it with change, cash, or a check made out to Womankind, and return it by Father's Day.

More details to come!

Want to learn about Womankind?
Visit their website at
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call Womankind at 216-662-5700.



All are invited to join in a Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation Shrine in Carey, Ohio

This Shrine has the Jubilee Shrine
Designation and is celebrating the
150th Anniversary of the arrival of the
Miraculous Statue and the
100th Anniversary of
the Dedication of the Church.

Sunday, May 25, 2025

The bus will leave from Saint Clare's back lot, 7:00 a.m. returning at 7:30 p.m.

There will be Holy Mass, Confession, Stations of the Cross, Shrine Devotions and an individual blessing with the Relic of the True Cross.

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Our Fish Fry focus has caused this event to run behind.

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Raffle Basket Item Ideas

Movie Night Basket	Pet Lovers Basket	Kids Game and Activity Basket	Summer & Beach Day Basket	Wine Lovers Basket	Local Adventure Basket	Lights, Camera, Action Basket	Adult Game Night Basket	Money and Gift Card Basket	Parish Basket
Popcorn, DVDs, Streaming subscription, Gift cards, Movie or show passes, Bottle of wine, Cozy blanket.	Pet toys, treats, Grooming supplies, Gift cards, Pet store grooming or stay vouchers.	Games, Books, Activity books, Coloring books, Puzzles and puzzle books, Crafts, Family day pass to a local attraction.	Beach towels, Sunscreen, Sunglasses, Beach toys, Outdoor toys and games, Squirt guns, Beach balls, Pool toys.	Various wines, Elegant glasses, Corkscrew, Wine charms, Aerator, Cheeses with crackers, Wine gift cards.	Pool pass, SkyZone, Local stores, Restaurants Cleveland- Akron Zoo, Pioneer Waterpark, Fun 'n Stuff, Lake Farm Park.	Kids toys, Cars, Action dolls, Camera, Camera accessories, Small frames for pics.	Puzzles, Board games, Drawing or card games, Memory games, Popcorn, Wine, Beer, Nuts, Charcuterie foods.	Gift cards and cash, Gift cards and cash, Gift cards and cash.	Parish business owners donate or sponsor their items, Saint Clare imprinted notebook with pen and watches

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